HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. _____

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED RESOLUTION
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION honoring the Tri-Central High School girls basketball team on winning the 2003 Class A girls basketball state championship.
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, read first time and referred to Committee on



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Whereas, the Tri-Central High School Lady Trojans defeated the previous state champions, North Vermillion, and ended North Vermillion's 50-game winning streak, in Indianapolis at Conseco Fieldhouse on Saturday, March 8 to become the 2003 Class A girls basketball state champions;

Whereas, the previously ranked No. 2 Lady Trojans became the first ever state champion from Tri-Central High School;

Whereas, the Lady Trojans finished their season with an outstanding 23-4 record in front of over 2,000 of their fans at the final game;

Whereas, the team included Sarah Boyle, Megan Overton, Amanda Watson, Meranda Burnett, Kristen Miller, Stephanie Haak, Andrea Dewitt, Andrea Bowne, Anne Cage, Christina Parkison, Janel Cox, bookkeeper Tammy Miner, trainer Carrie Preston, Athletic Director Gary Rhew, Coach Kathie Layden, Assistant Coaches Dave Wise and JoAnn Cunningham, and volunteer assistant coach, Mike Wise;

Whereas, each step during the basketball season was better than the last with an umblemished and first Hoosier Heartland



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Conference title, a best ever regular season record, first ever sectional regional and semi-state crowns and finally the state championship;

Whereas, the team showed incredible courage in the final game rallying from 52-46 deficit in the final 2:54 to pull out a 57-55 victory

Whereas, this championship team included four seniors, two juniors, three sophomores and three freshmen who will spend the rest of their lives reminiscing about their state title;

Whereas Kristen Miller, Meranda Burnett, Sarah Boyle were named to the Associated Press State Finals All Tourney team, the names of Overton, Watson, Allen, Haak, Parkison, Cox, Dewitt, Cage and Bowne will also forever be remembered for bringing home the championship trophy;

Whereas, Coach Kathie Layden had strong family support from two of her assistant coaches including her father, Dave Wise and her brother, Mike Wise in leading the Lady Trojans to victory;

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, the Senate concurring:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly
congratulates and honors the Tri-Central High School girls
basketball team on its 2003 Class A state championship and
acknowledges the many hours of hard work and commitment
required of the coaches, players, and team members to reach
such a level of excellence necessary to win a state
championship.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives shall transmit a copy of this resolution to the team members, head coach Kathie Layden, assistant coaches JoAnn Cunningham, Mike Wise, and Dave Wise, athletic director Gary Rhew, and Principal Dave Driggs.

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